

State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Install Telecommunications (WIFI) Tower in Brannan Island State Recreation Area

**LOCATION:** Brannan Island State Recreation Area      **COUNTY:** Sacramento

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

Install a 36 foot steel truss tower on which a telecommunications antenna will be mounted. The purpose of the project is to improve internet access to the park unit including the internet camping reservation system. Existing internet access is inadequate. The project will involve installing a 4 foot by 4 foot concrete pad to which the tower will be anchored, the steel truss tower, and the antenna. The combined height of the accessory structure will be 40 feet. The tower will be sited in the administrative/maintenance area of the park.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Gold Fields District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

☒ Categorical Exemption      Class: 11      Section: 15311

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of installing a small telecommunications tower and is included as "accessory structures" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR 15300.4.

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